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Notices

Let us together glorify and enjoy God.

“Amen!

Praise and glory

and wisdom and thanks and honour

and power and strength

be to our God for ever and ever.

Amen!”

♪ WOV 28, Praise to the Lord, the Almighty, the King ...

Praise to the Lord,
the Almighty, the King of creation;
O my soul praise Him,
for He is thy health and salvation;
All ye who hear,
Now to his temple draw near,
Joining in glad adoration.

Praise to the Lord
who o'er all things so wondrously reigneth,
Shieldeth thee gently from harm,
or when fainting sustaineth;
Hast thou not seen
how thy heart's wishes have been
granted in what He ordaineth?

Praise to the Lord,
who doth prosper thy work and defend thee;
Surely His goodness and mercy
shall daily attend thee;

Ponder anew
what the Almighty can do
if with His love He befriend thee.

Praise to the Lord,
O let all that is in me adore Him!
All that hath life and breath,
come now with praises before Him!
Let the Amen
sound from His people again:
Gladly for aye we adore Him.

Joachim Neander

Prayers of Approach

To all who put your trust in Christ I say;
you are free people. Live abundantly.

Creator God, you have brought us from darkness into light.
Alleluia!

Word of God, Christ, you have brought us through the waters,
from death into life.

Alleluia!

Life giving Spirit of God, you move among us,
making us a new creation.

Alleluia!

Acts 9:36-43

Revelation 7:9-17

♪ CH4 16, Psalm 23

The Lord's my shepherd, I'll not want.
He makes me down to lie
in pasture green, he leadeth me
the quiet waters by;
in pasture green, he leadeth me
the quiet waters by.

My soul he doth restore again;
and me to walk doth make
within the paths of righteousness,
ev'n for his own name's sake;
within the paths of righteousness,
ev'n for his own name's sake.

Yea, though I walk in death's dark vale,
yet will I fear none ill:
for though art with me; and they rod
and staff me comfort still;
for though art with me; and they rod
and staff me comfort still

My table thou hast furnished
in presence of my foes;
my head thou dost with oil anoint,
and my cup overflows;
my head thou dost with oil anoint,
and my cup overflows

Goodness and mercy all my life
shall surely follow me:
and in God's house for evermore

my dwelling-place shall be;
and in God's house for evermore
my dwelling-place shall be

John 10:22-30

Tribulation and Comfort

“We pray for safety instead of purity because we do not see impurity
as dangerous.”

Daniel JD Stulac.

♪ 440 Book of Praise, For all the love that from our earliest days

For all the love that from our earliest days
has gladdened life and guarded all our ways,
we bring You, Lord, our song of grateful praise:
Alleluia!

For all the truth from wisdom's lighted page,
undimmed and pure, that shines from age to age,
God's holy Word, our priceless heritage:
Alleluia!

For all the joy that childhood's days have brought,
for healthful lives and purity of thought,
for life's deep meaning to our spirits taught:
Alleluia!

For all the hope that sheds its glorious ray
along the dark and unknown future way,
and lights the path to God's eternal day,
Alleluia!

For all the strength that has been gained thro' prayer,
to face life's tasks, its eager quests to share,
till ampler powers fulfil its promise fair,
Alleluia!

For Christ our Lord, our Savior and our friend,
upon whose love and truth our souls depend,
our hope, our strength, our joy that knows no end:
Alleluia!

L. J. Egerton-Smith

Intercessions

Offering

Dedication

**Our Father in heaven,
hallowed be your name,
your kingdom come,
your will be done,
on earth as in heaven.
Give us today our daily bread.**

**Forgive us our sins
as we forgive those who sin against us.
Save us from the time of trial
and deliver us from evil.**

**For the kingdom, the power, and the glory are yours
now and forever. Amen.**

♪ Allelulia Aotearoa 87, Lift high the cross

*Lift high the cross,
the love of Christ proclaim
till all the world adore his glorious name!*

Come, Christian people,
sing your praises, shout!
If we are silent, even stones cry out....

Jesus, you wept to see our human strife,
teach us compassion for each human life...

Peace was your plea and peace your loving theme
let peace be our passport, peace a living dream...

Great is the cost of walking on this road,
to follow and suffer with the Son of God...

Worlds to be born and children yet to be
come, take up this song into eternity...

Shirley Murray

Benediction

